

LAW OFFICES OF
KLIMA & HOPKINS
A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
CRYSTAL PLAZA ONE - SUITE 905
2001 JEFFERSON DAVIS HIGHWAY
ARLINGTON, VA 22202-3603
(703) 418-0716
(703) 418-2239 (FAX)

WILLIAM L. KLIMA *
SUSANNE M. HOPKINS-KLIMA
BENJAMIN A. PEZZLO
PHILIP D. FREEDMAN**
JANICE E. CHARTOFF

* ADMITTED IN PENNSYLVANIA ONLY
** ALSO ADMITTED IN PENNSYLVANIA

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

May 5, 1997



Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No.: 08/619,412; Filed: March 21, 1996
For: **Process for Cleaning Large Bone Grafts
and Bone Grafts Produced Thereby**
Inventor: Lloyd Wolfinbarger, Jr.
Our Ref: 152-115P-DIV (SHK)

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO):


1. Second Preliminary Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115; and
2. Return post card.

It is respectfully requested that the attached post card be stamped with the filing date of these documents and returned to our courier.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 11-1243. If extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those otherwise provided for herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 11-1243. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

KLIMA & HOPKINS, P.C.


Susanne M. Hopkins-Klima
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 33,247

Attachments

SHK:kam
transmit.ltr

330/p. Smith 6-14-97
STAFFORD OFFICE
2046 JEFFERSON DAVIS HIGHWAY
SUITE D
STAFFORD, VA 22554
(540) 657-9344
(540) 657-9343 (FAX)

CORPORATE OFFICE
26 SETTLER'S WAY
STAFFORD, VA 22554
(540) 720-4656
(540) 720-4658 (FAX)

TELATIONS
SENDA, QUINTON & NICHOLSON
11735 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD
10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90025
(310) 478-4540
(310) 479-6978 (FAX)

606 THIRD AVENUE
11TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10158
(212) 297-0015
(212) 867-6882 (FAX)

ACUPAT SERVICES
ARLINGTON, VA

RECEIVED

MAY 12 1997

GROUP 3300